

January 17, 2008

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of H. Van Urk, D.J. Mead, P.H.	Examiner: T.E. Strzelecka
Morton, A.J. Cartwright, J. Cameron, D.J.	Art Unit: 1637
Ballance, M.G.J. Grandgeorge, S. Berezenko,	Confirmation No. 9302
J.R. Woodrow, D. Sleep, and J-L.B. Veron	

Application No. 09/890,297

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 20, 2007

Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the non-final Office Action dated August 20, 2007, having a two-month extended period for response set to expire on January 20, 2008. Applicants submit herewith payment for a two-month extension of time.

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